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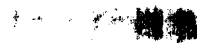
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MILITARY INSTALLATIONS

(SEE SUMMARY)

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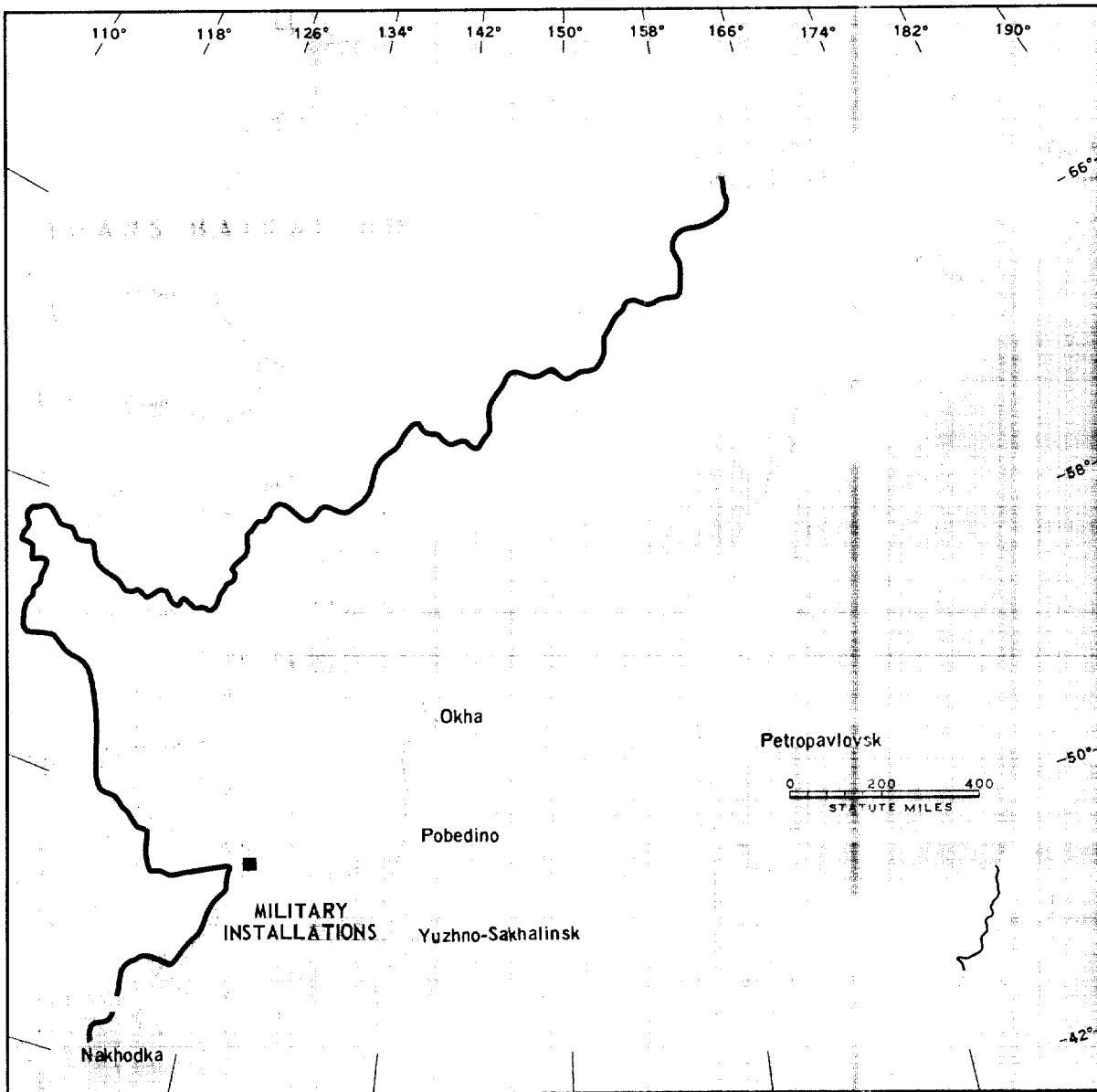
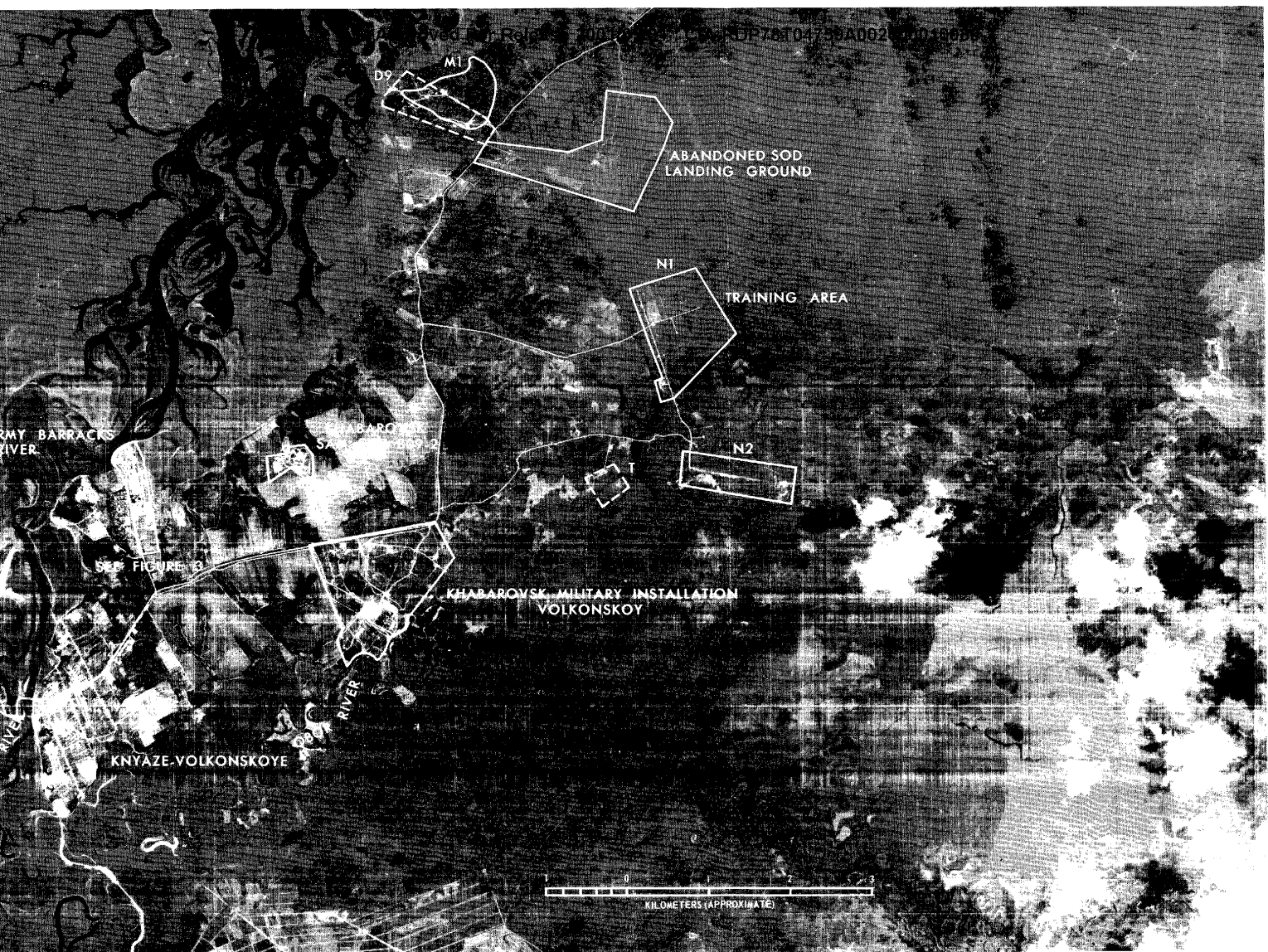


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF MILITARY INSTALLATIONS.



# SUMMARY

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This report covers the following installations: Khabarovsk Army Barracks Sita River

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AL 24 [REDACTED] located 26 kilometers (km) east of the center of Khabarovsk at 48-29N 135-28E; Khabarovsk Military Installation Volkonskoy [REDACTED] located 29 km east of the center of Khabarovsk at 48-29N 135-30E; and a training area located 34 km east of the center of Khabarovsk at 48-30N 135-34E (Figure 1).

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Khabarovsk Army Barracks Sita River covers approximately 105 acres and contains 4 administration buildings, 6 barracks, 1 theater-type building, 8 storage buildings, 5 vehicle sheds, 1 heating plant, 5 buildings with unidentified functions, 25 support buildings, 1 athletic/parade field, 1 probable water tower, 1 possible small-arms firing range, 2 probable underground POL tanks, 4 rows of unidentified objects in open storage, and 7 unidentified objects (Figures 2 and 3).

Khabarovsk Military Installation Volkonskoy covers approximately 400 acres and contains 2 administration buildings, 2 barracks, 3 storage buildings, 1 vehicle shed, 1 possible explosives storage building, 44 support buildings, 15 probable civilian quarters, approximately 230 tent bases, a possible bivouac area, a driver-training circuit, an artillery emplacement training area, and a possible obstacle

The training area covers approximately 780 acres and contains a bivouac area, numerous vehicle revetments, 16 control/support buildings, a combined tank/assault-gun and APC firing range, a tank/assault-gun firing range, 2 driver-training circuits, and an unidentified training facility.

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The installations and the training area were covered by KEYHOLE missions of interpretable quality between [REDACTED]

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Comparative analysis reveals that the installations were under construction in [REDACTED]

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The tank/assault-gun firing range, the combined tank/assault-gun and APC firing range, the unidentified training facility, and the 2 driver-training circuits were constructed or were under construction in [REDACTED]. Most of the major buildings in the installations were constructed prior to [REDACTED]. The tent bases were first observed in [REDACTED]. Construction continued to [REDACTED] when all of the major and most of the minor buildings had been constructed. Track activity remained constant at the light to medium level. No activity was observed during periods of snow cover in [REDACTED]

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Khabarovsk SAM Site B09-2 is located 2 km east of Khabarovsk Barracks Sita River.

## DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

### Railroad Service

Rail service is available in Khabarovsk.

### Road Service

A secondary, probably all-weather road connects the installation with Khabarovsk.

### Aircraft Landing Strip

5 km north-northeast of Khabarovsk Military Installation Volkonskoy.

### Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains 10 support buildings and approximately 114 tent bases.

Area D2 contains approximately 75 tent bases.

Area D3 contains 1 administration building,

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2 barracks buildings, 1 storage building, and 7 support buildings.

Area D4 contains 1 support building and approximately 40 tent bases.

Area D5 is a possible bivouac area.

Area D6 contains 1 administration building, 2 storage buildings, and 8 support buildings.

Area D7 contains 1 administration building and 2 support buildings.

Area D8 contains 3 administration buildings, 6 barracks, 1 theater-type building, 1 storage building, 1 probable water tower, and 15 support buildings.

Area D9 contains an undetermined number of tent bases and vehicle revetments.

#### General Storage Area

Area E is a walled compound and contains 7 storage buildings and 4 support buildings.

#### Ammunition Storage Areas

Area F contains 1 possible explosives storage building constructed between [REDACTED] [REDACTED]. The area is probably doubly secured and appears to have guard posts at the corners of the outer fence. The probable fences were constructed by [REDACTED].

#### POL Storage Area

Area G is probably fenced and contains 2 probably underground POL tanks, 4 rows of unidentified objects in open storage, 7 unidentified objects, and 2 support buildings.

#### Other Buildings

Area H1 contains 16 support buildings. Fifteen probable civilian quarters are dispersed throughout the installation.

Area H2 contains 1 possible heating plant and 2 buildings with unidentified functions.

#### Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 is a fenced compound and contains 1 vehicle shed (260 by 35 feet) and 4 support buildings.

Area J2 is a walled compound and contains 5 vehicle sheds (340 by 65 feet, 280 by 65 feet, 220 by 50 feet, 175 by 65 feet, and 170 by 65 feet), and 2 support buildings.

Fifteen vehicles/pieces of equipment were observed in Military Installation Volkonskoy on [REDACTED] coverage. Approximately 30 vehicles/pieces of equipment were observed in Army Barracks Sita River on [REDACTED] coverage. Approximately 50 probable vehicles/pieces of equipment were observed in and near Army Barracks Sita River on [REDACTED] coverage.

#### Athletic Field

Area K is an athletic/parade field.

#### Small-Arms Firing Range

Area L is a 195-by 45-foot possible small-arms firing range first observed on [REDACTED] coverage.

#### Driver-Training Areas

Area M1 is a tracked-vehicle driver-training circuit constructed prior to [REDACTED].

Area M2 contains a tracked/wheeled-vehicle driver-training circuit and a figure-8 constructed prior to [REDACTED].

Track activity has remained light to medium. No activity was observed during periods of snow cover.

#### Tank/Assault-Gun Firing Ranges

Area N1 (not on sketch) is a 4,500-foot combined tank/assault-gun and APC firing range (constructed prior to [REDACTED] consisting of 9 static firing positions, a vehicle

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loop, 15 moving target runs, and 16 range control/support buildings. Track activity has remained light to medium. Winter training was observed during [REDACTED]

Area N2 (not on sketch) is a 4,450-foot tank/assault-gun firing range with one 3,100-foot lane and 7 moving target runs. The range was constructed prior to [REDACTED] however, the moving target runs were not observed until [REDACTED] when 3 moving target runs were observed. Four additional moving target runs were constructed by [REDACTED]. Track activity has remained light to medium. Winter training was observed during [REDACTED]

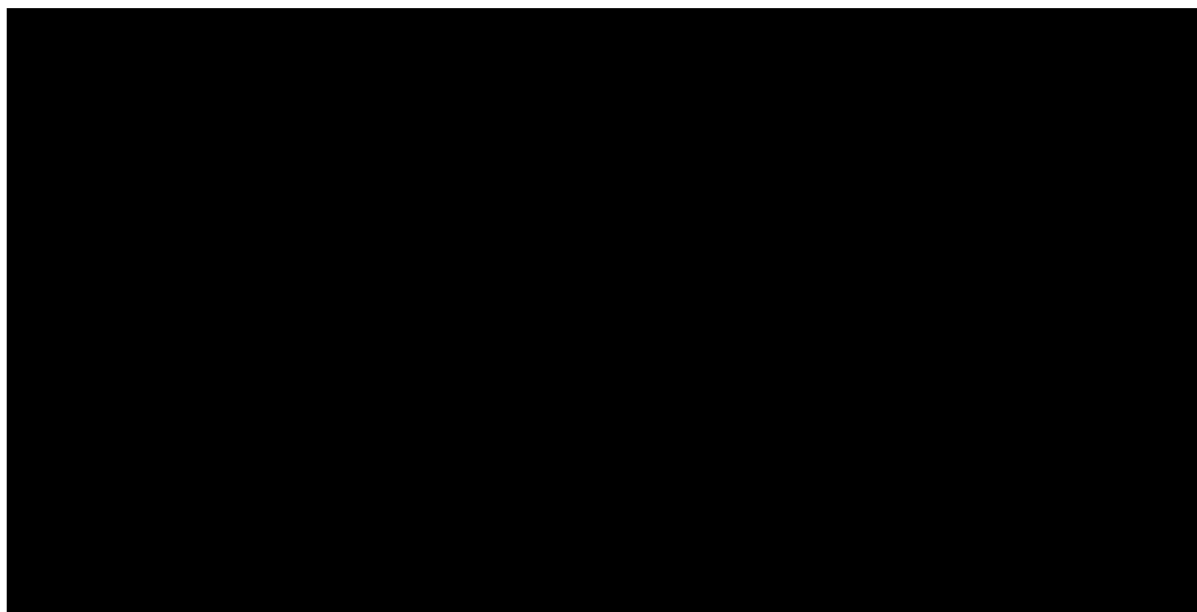
#### Artillery Emplacements (Batteries)

An area of extensive emplacement training (not on sketch) is located immediately west of driver-training circuit M2. The area, first observed on [REDACTED] coverage, is used for 4 position, in-line, field-gun emplacement training.

#### Unidentified Facilities or Tracking Activity

Area T (not on sketch) is an unidentified training facility (possibly a subcaliber firing range) constructed prior to [REDACTED]

#### REFERENCES



#### MAPS OR CHARTS

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#### REQUIREMENT

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